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WALHALLA, S. C.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1910.

REMOVAL POWER NOT VESTED

In Governor—Huckabee is Reinstated as Kershaw Sheriff.

Holding that the Legislature was without power to authorize the indefinite suspension of a sheriff for neglect of official duty, the Supreme Court last week, in a unanimous decision, ordered the reinstatement of W. W. Huckabee as sheriff of Kershaw county. Mr. Huckabee was suspended several months ago by Governor Manning on the charge that he had refused to enforce the whiskey laws. Isaac C. Hough was appointed to succeed Mr. Huckabee by Governor Manning.

"The result is that the Governor," concludes the opinion, "had no power to suspend or remove the petitioner or to appoint the defendant in his place."

"The judgment of this court is that the attempted suspension of the petitioner and the appointment of the defendant, Hough, in his place were without authority of law and of no effect, and that the petitioner is entitled to exercise the duties of his office as sheriff of Kershaw county."

The opinion was written by Associate Justice Hydrick and concurred in by the other four justices of the court.

Recital of Events.

The following facts are set forth preceding the Court's opinion:

"The petitioner, W. W. Huckabee, was elected sheriff of Kershaw county at the general election on November 5, 1912, and was commissioned on January 1, 1913, for a term of four years. On April 20, 1915, after notice and a hearing, his Excellency, the Governor, found, from the evidence adduced at the hearing, that said sheriff had neglected and refused to enforce the law regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors in this county, and suspended his from office until the end of his present term."

"On June 25, 1915, the Governor appointed and commissioned the defendant, Hough, as sheriff of said county, in place of petitioner. This action was brought to test the legitimacy of Huckabee's suspension, as well as the right of Hough to perform the duties of the office."

Points of Difference.

"In McDowell vs. Burnett, the difference between suspension and removal of officers was pointed out: 'One is the mere temporary withdrawal of the power to exercise the duties of an office; the other is a complete and final deprivation of official tenure.' In that case, and also in State vs. Rhame, it was held that the conferring of the power of suspension impliedly denies the power of removal. The two things are essentially different, and are attended by different consequences, both to the officer and to the public. Removal creates a vacancy in the office which may be filled at once in the manner prescribed by law; suspension creates no vacancy, and where there is no provision of law for some other to perform the duties of the office by temporary appointment, or otherwise, we would have an office and an officer, but no one to discharge the duties of the office, to the great inconvenience of the public for whose benefit the office was created. Hence, the reason is apparent why the framers of the constitution placed greater limitation and restrictions upon the power of suspension than they did upon the power of removal, and why, in the general grant of the power of suspension and also in the special cases in which it is allowed they made suitable provision for the performance of the duties of the office by some other officer or by a temporary appointee during the suspension."

"In the case before us the statute attempts to authorize indefinite suspension, not temporary suspension as a step in and incident to removal; and it makes no provision for the performance of the duties of the office during the suspension. As we have seen, the Governor is without power to appoint any one to discharge the duties of the office in the place of a sheriff who is merely suspended. While the suspension until

MAKE NITRATES AT GT. FALLS.

Substance Placed on Sale Saturday. Great Industry Promised.

New York, Dec. 29.—Nitric acid, obtained by extracting nitrogen from the air, will be put on the market next Saturday by the Southern Electro-Chemical Co., according to a statement made public here to-day by Jas. B. Duke, one of its officers.

This announcement follows close upon the resignation of Brig. Gen. Wm. M. Crozier, chief of ordnance of the United States army, who in his annual report urged that the nation take steps to be independent of the Chilean beds for the nitrates used in making gunpowder.

Mr. Duke's company expects to turn out four tons of nitric acid a day from its works at Great Falls, S. C., about 50 miles from Charlotte.

The chemical will be produced on a much larger scale if the great problem of getting water power cheap enough can be solved.

The work will very likely be carried on in Canada by the Quebec Development Co., Ltd., of which Mr. Duke is president. This company has been acquiring extensive water power rights in the neighborhood of Lake St. John, and will have works at Saguenay River.

Many People Don't Know

A sluggish liver can cause a person an awful lot of misery. Spells of dizziness, headaches, constipation and biliousness are sure signs that your liver needs help. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills and see how they help tone up the whole system. Fine for the stomach, too. Aids digestion, purifies the blood and clears the complexion. Only 25c. at your druggist.—Adv. 3.

Whitlock Returns to Post.

New York, Dec. 28.—Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium, sailed to-day on the Holland-American liner Rotterdam to resume his duties abroad.

Mr. Whitlock was the guest at a luncheon yesterday of Alexander Hemphill, treasurer of the commission for relief in Belgium. He praised the commission's work, declaring that if it should be interrupted for one week the suffering of the Belgian people would become a calamity.

According to Mr. Whitlock shoes and cloth, from which to make clothing, are vital necessities in the stricken kingdom.

Mr. Whitlock carried back with him a purse of \$5,000 subscribed by friends in Toledo, Ohio, to be distributed under his personal supervision.

Keep Yourself Up to Scratch.

FORTIFY YOUR SYSTEM BEFORE IT IS WEAKENED BY ILLS.

Don't wait until you are actually sick to take a laxative. You know "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." If you will just take LIV-VER-LAX regularly it will keep you continually in the best possible shape—bright, energetic and happy. It is made of harmless vegetable matter, and by acting gently, but effectively, keeps the system cleared of poisons and ready to perform its best work.

LIV-VER-LAX is sold under an absolute guarantee to give satisfaction or money will be returned. For sale in 50c. and \$1 bottles at Norman's Drug Store, Walhalla.—Adv.

Col's Death Too Much for Him.

Louisa Court House, Va., Dec. 27.—Grieved at the death of a favorite colt, Pendleton Butler, aged 18, whose home was near Cutting's Store, between here and Gordonsville, hanged himself yesterday to an oak.

Zach. Butler, father of the lad, discovering his son's death, shot himself through the head, dying instantly.

the end of the term is in practical effect a removal. It cannot be allowed that effect in law, because the Governor has no power under this statute to remove a sheriff; and under no other statute which we have been able to find has he power to remove a sheriff until after trial and conviction in the manner prescribed by the statutes which have been enacted under the pursuance of the authority conferred upon the Legislature by Section 27 of Article 3 of the Constitution above quoted.

"The result is that the Governor had no power to suspend or remove the petitioner or to appoint the defendant in his place."

"The judgment of this court is that the attempted suspension of the petitioner and the appointment of the defendant, Hough, in his place were without authority of law and of no effect, and that the petitioner is entitled to exercise the duties of his office as sheriff of Kershaw county."

ABOUT USE OF FERTILIZERS.

Recommendations and Suggestions for Piedmont Counties.

Clemson College, Dec. 29.—In view of the abnormal condition of the fertilizer market, South Carolina farmers, who are among the nation's principal users of commercial fertilizers, have been at a loss to know what to plan about their plant food for next year. The extension division of Clemson College has issued a bulletin in "Buying and Using Fertilizers," by T. E. Keitt, chemist of the experiment station. It is Bulletin No. 17 of the Farmers' Reading Course, and may be had by any one who writes for it to the extension division.

As an example of the helpful information contained in this little bulletin, the recommendations for Piedmont soils are quoted below:

"1. For poor to ordinary land an application per acre of from 200 to 400 pounds of a mixture composed of 1,000 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate, 800 pounds of 7 per cent cotton seed meal, and 200 pounds of nitrate of soda is recommended. This mixture should analyze 8.8 per cent available phosphoric acid, nitrogen equivalent to 4.6 per cent ammonia, and enough potash will be furnished by the cotton seed meal to give the mixture a content of 0.6 per cent potash."

"2. On fertile soil, an application per acre of from 300 to 600 pounds of a mixture composed of 1,200 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate, 650 pounds of cotton seed meal, and 150 pounds of nitrate of soda should give good results. This mixture should analyze 10.25 per cent phosphoric acid, nitrogen equivalent to 3.63 per cent ammonia, and 0.49 per cent potash."

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System
Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

VILLA MEN SURRENDER?

10,000 Said to Have Laid Down Arms at Chihuahua City.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 29.—Eight hundred Carranza soldiers, the first to reach Juarez, arrived there to-day from Chihuahua City. More are expected to-night and 3,000 soldiers are due from Sonora points.

Gen. Elisendo, commanding the troops who arrived to-day, said Gen. Trevino had sent a detachment westward to clear out the Guerrero district of small forces led by Villa, Medinavietia, and presumably Rodriguez.

Eleven generals and 10,000 Villa soldiers surrendered in Chihuahua City to Gen. Trevino, according to Elisendo. South of Chihuahua City the country is pacified, he said.

The campaign against the Zapata organization in Morelos will be undertaken by Gen. Gonzales from Mexico City, he declared, about January 1st.

The railroad between Mexico City and Chihuahua City is operating a regular train service and as fast as the Villa soldiers are mustered out at Chihuahua City they will be sent to the border here to be paid and returned to their homes.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

First Snow in Over 20 Years.

Laredo, Texas, Dec. 28.—Snow fell for an hour to-day at Dolores, Texas, 22 miles northwest of here. A light snow fell here, the first time in more than 20 years. The temperature was 30 above zero.

KIDNEY MEDICINE DISSOLVES GRAVEL STONES.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root sells well with us because it invariably produces good results in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. We sold a dollar bottle to one of the inmates of the Soldiers' Home near here, and after using it he brought in about one dozen gravel stones, some as large as a pea, which he had passed. He states that he obtained wonderful relief from the use of Swamp-Root.

ERNEST A. BROWN,

Lafayette, Ind.
Personally appeared before me this 28th of July, 1909, Ernest A. Brown, of the Brown Drug Co., who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

David Bryan, Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do for You.

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince any one. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Walhalla Weekly Keowee Courier. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

In the District Court of the United States—For the Western District of South Carolina.

THE UNITED STATES
Versus

A certain tract of land containing 58.13 acres, more or less, situate in Chattooga Township, in the County of Oconee, in the State of South Carolina, known as the Jeff Swofford Tract.

Notice that Application has Been Made by The United States to Acquire the Land Herein Described, by Condemnation.

Pursuant to an order made by his honor Joseph T. Johnson, United States Judge for the Western District of South Carolina, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1915, notice is hereby published that application has been made to the District Court of the United States for the condemnation for the public use and purpose of National Forest Reserve, of a certain tract of land, owned or supposed to be owned by Jeff Swofford and Hester Swofford, and an accurate description of said tract of land being as follows:

All and singular that tract of land known as the Jeff Swofford Tract, situate and lying on the waters of the Chattooga River, in Chattooga Township, Oconee County, and State of South Carolina, bounded north by Chattooga River; on the west and south by lands of W. E. Roach; heretofore said to contain eighty-two (82) acres, more or less, but containing fifty-eight and 13/100 (58.13) acres; circumscribed by a line beginning at corner one, a sixteen-inch post with witnesses; a corner common to the W. E. Roach Tract (corner 16) and the lands of W. E. Roach, blazed and scribed No. 1; thence S. 48-50 E. with the boundary of W. E. Roach land to corner two, a six-inch pine, blazed and scribed; thence to corner three, a six-inch white oak on the edge of old road, a corner common to lands of W. E. Roach and Tom Swofford, blazed and scribed; thence N. 6 E. with boundary of the lands of Tom Swofford to corner four, a black oak stump with witness, common to lands of Tom Swofford, an oak post being set in a mound of stones; thence to corner five, a point in thread of Chattooga River, corner of lands of Tom Swofford, an oak post being set as a witness, corner on bank of stream in a mound of stones; thence with the meanders of the thread of Chattooga River, in a westerly course to corner six, a corner common to the John Lochrie "Roach" Tract, a post being set on bank of Chattooga River as a witness corner; thence leaving the Chattooga River, and with the boundary of John Lochrie's "Roach" Tract, a stake with witnesses, common to John Lochrie's "Roach" Tract, a post being set; thence to corner eight, a chestnut stump with witnesses; a corner common to John Lochrie's "Roach" Tract and W. E. Roach tract (corner 11) an oak post being set in a mound of stones; thence S. 13-50 E. with the boundary of the W. E. Roach Tract to corner nine, which is corner twelve of the W. E. Roach Tract, a post being set in a mound of stones; thence to corner ten, which is corner thirteen of the Roach Tract, a twelve-inch pine, blazed and scribed; thence to corner eleven, which is corner fourteen of the Roach Tract, a fourteen-inch Spanish oak, blazed and scribed; thence to corner twelve, which is corner fifteen of the Roach Tract, a twelve-inch post oak, blazed and scribed; thence to the place of beginning, all bearings being turned from the true meridian.

All persons interested in said tract of land, are hereby required to come forward on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1916, and file with the Clerk of this Court at his office at Greenville, S. C., their objections, if any they should have, to the proposed purchase or acquisition of said tract of land, by the United States.

J. WILLIAM THURMOND,
United States Attorney.

A True Copy. Attest:
(Seal.) J. B. KNIGHT,
Clerk, U. S. D. Court.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

In the District Court of the United States—For the Western District of South Carolina.

THE UNITED STATES
Versus

A certain tract of land containing 55.57 acres, more or less, situate in Chattooga Township, in the County of Oconee, in the State of South Carolina, known as The J. C. Powell Tract.

Notice that Application has Been Made by The United States to Acquire the Land Herein Described, by Condemnation.

Pursuant to an order made by his honor Joseph T. Johnson, United States Judge for the Western District of South Carolina, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1915, notice is hereby published that application has been made to the District Court of the United States for the condemnation for the public use and purpose of National Forest Reserve, of a certain tract of land, owned or supposed to be owned by John C. Powell and Mary J. Powell, and an accurate description of said tract of land being as follows:

All and singular that tract of land known as the John C. Powell tract, situate and lying in Chattooga Township, Oconee County, State of South Carolina, heretofore known as the Powell tract, adjoining lands of William G. Russell, V. F. Holden, John Lochrie, J. W. Ivester, on headwaters of Chattooga River, and heretofore said to contain fifty (50) acres, more or less, but containing fifty-five and 57/100 (55.57) acres, and circumscribed by a line beginning at corner one, which is corner twelve (north-east corner) of the V. F. Holden tract, a white oak post being set and scribed No. 12-U S F S-H-P; thence to corner two, a Spanish oak post being set; thence to corner three, a white oak post being set; thence to corner four, a maple post being set; thence to corner five, a black gum post being set; thence to corner six, a pine post being set; thence to corner seven, a pine post being set; thence to corner eight, a pine post being set; thence to corner nine, the northernmost corner, being corner twenty-two of the W. G. Russell tract, a six-inch pine, a corner original to Powell and Russell, a Spanish oak post being set, beside a pine; thence S. 10-51 W. with the boundary of the W. G. Russell tract, to corner ten, being corner twenty-one of the W. G. Russell tract, a Spanish oak post being set; thence S. 21-33 E. with the boundary line of John Lochrie Tract No. 2, to corner eleven, the easternmost corner of the John Lochrie Tract No. 2, and the northernmost corner of the V. F. Holden tract, a white oak post being set; thence S. 44-19 E. with the boundary line of the V. F. Holden tract, to the place of beginning, all bearings being turned from the true meridian.

All persons interested in said tract of land, are hereby required to come forward on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1916, and file with the Clerk of this Court, at his office at Greenville, S. C., their objections, if any they should have, to the proposed purchase or acquisition of said tract of land, by the United States.

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A certain tract of land containing 139.92 acres, more or less, situate in Chattooga Township, in the County of Oconee, in the State of South Carolina, known as The J. and T. Bottoms Tract.

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All and singular that tract of land known as the J. and T. Bottoms tract, situate and lying in the County of Oconee, and State of South Carolina, and in the Township of Chattooga, and adjoining lands of A. M. Brown, Irvin Orr, W. H. Day and others; heretofore said to contain one hundred (100) acres, more or less, but containing one hundred and thirty-nine and 92/100 (139.92) acres, circumscribed by a line beginning at corner one, a post oak stump, seven inches in diameter shown by Mr. Bottoms as original corner, a maple post being set and scribed No. 1-U. S. F. S.-B; thence N. 16-15 W. to corner two, a post oak post being set; thence to corner three, an oak post being set; thence to corner four, a

yellow pine post being set; thence to corner five, a yellow pine post being set; thence to corner six, a sourwood post being set; thence to corner seven, a dogwood post being set; thence to corner eight, an eight-inch hickory, blazed and scribed; thence to corner nine, a pine post being set; thence to corner ten, a Spanish oak post being set; thence to corner eleven, a black jack post being set beside the original stone corner; thence to corner twelve, a chestnut oak post being set; thence to corner thirteen, a Spanish oak post being set; thence to corner fourteen, a Spanish oak post being set; thence to corner fifteen, a black jack post being set; beside a fifteen-inch pine stump, the original corner; thence to corner sixteen, a black jack post being set; thence to corner seventeen, a pine post being set; thence to corner eighteen, the original stone corner, a Spanish oak post being set; thence to corner nineteen, the original stone corner, a sourwood post being set; thence to corner twenty, a twenty-inch yellow pine, an original corner; thence to the place of beginning, all bearings being turned from the true meridian.

All persons interested in said tract of land, are hereby required to come forward on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1916, and file with the Clerk of this Court at his office at Greenville, S. C., their objections, if any they should have, to the proposed purchase or acquisition of said tract of land, by the United States.

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All and singular that tract of land known as the John C. Powell tract, situate and lying in Chattooga Township, Oconee County, State of South Carolina, heretofore known as the Powell tract, adjoining lands of William G. Russell, V. F. Holden, John Lochrie, J. W. Ivester, on headwaters of Chattooga River, and heretofore said to contain fifty (50) acres, more or less, but containing fifty-five and 57/100 (55.57) acres, and circumscribed by a line beginning at corner one, which is corner twelve (north-east corner) of the V. F. Holden tract, a white oak post being set and scribed No. 12-U S F S-H-P; thence to corner two, a Spanish oak post being set; thence to corner three, a white oak post being set; thence to corner four, a maple post being set; thence to corner five, a black gum post being set; thence to corner six, a pine post being set; thence to corner seven, a pine post being set; thence to corner eight, a pine post being set; thence to corner nine, the northernmost corner, being corner twenty-two of the W. G. Russell tract, a six-inch pine, a corner original to Powell and Russell, a Spanish oak post being set, beside a pine; thence S. 10-51 W. with the boundary of the W. G. Russell tract, to corner ten, being corner twenty-one of the W. G. Russell tract, a Spanish oak post being set; thence S. 21-33 E. with the boundary line of John Lochrie Tract No. 2, to corner eleven, the easternmost corner of the John Lochrie Tract No. 2, and the northernmost corner of the V. F. Holden tract, a white oak post being set; thence S. 44-19 E. with the boundary line of the V. F. Holden tract, to the place of beginning, all bearings being turned from the true meridian.

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A certain tract of land containing 40.08 acres, more or less, situate in Whitewater Township, in the County of Oconee, in the State of South Carolina, known as The J. P. McCall Tract.

Notice that Application has Been Made by The United States to Acquire the Land Herein Described, by Condemnation.

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All and singular that tract of land known as the J. P. McCall tract, situate and lying in Whitewater Township, County of Oconee, and State of South Carolina, on the head waters of Village Creek, a tributary of the Chauga River and bounded on the north by lands of J. R. and E. Keown, on the east by part of the original tract separated by a conditional line, on the south by lands of Mrs. A. L. Orr, and W. H. Day, and on the west by lands of Rexford; heretofore said to contain fifty (50) acres, more or less, but containing forty and 8/100 (40.08) acres; circumscribed by a line beginning at corner a black jack post being set and scribed Ho. M. 1-U. S. F. S.; thence N. 10-43 W. to corner M. 2, a twenty-inch pine, an original corner; thence to corner M. 3, an original rock corner, a pine post being set; thence to corner M. 4, a twenty-four-inch black oak, an original corner, blazed and scribed; thence to corner M. 5, a locust post being set; thence to corner M. 6, a black jack post being set; thence to corner M. 7, a dogwood post being set; thence to the place of beginning, all bearings being turned from the true meridian.

All persons interested in said tract of land, are hereby required to come forward on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1916, and file with the Clerk of this Court at his office at Greenville, S. C., their objections, if any they should have, to the proposed purchase or acquisition of said tract of land, by the United States.

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All and singular that tract of land known as the J. P. McCall tract, situate and lying in Whitewater Township, County of Oconee, and State of South Carolina, on the head waters of Village Creek, a tributary of the Chauga River and bounded on the north by lands of J. R. and E. Keown, on the east by part of the original tract separated by a conditional line, on the south by lands of Mrs. A. L. Orr, and W. H. Day, and on the west by lands of Rexford; heretofore said to contain fifty (50) acres, more or less, but containing forty and 8/100 (40.08) acres; circumscribed by a line beginning at corner a black jack post being set and scribed Ho. M. 1-U. S. F. S.; thence N. 10-43 W. to corner M. 2, a twenty-inch pine, an original corner; thence to corner M. 3, an original rock corner, a pine post being set; thence to corner M. 4, a twenty-four-inch black oak, an original corner, blazed and scribed; thence to corner M. 5, a locust post being set; thence to corner M. 6, a black jack post being set; thence to corner M. 7, a dogwood post being set; thence to the place of beginning, all bearings being turned from the true meridian.

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Notice that Application has Been Made by The United States to Acquire the Land Herein Described, by Condemnation.

Pursuant to an order made by his honor Joseph T. Johnson, United States Judge for the Western District of South Carolina, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1915, notice is hereby published that application has been made to the District Court of the United States for the condemnation for the public use and purpose of National Forest Reserve, of a certain tract of land, owned or supposed to be owned by R. L. Mure, Ella Mure and Elizabeth P. Mure and an accurate description of said tract of land being as follows:

All and singular that tract of land known as Mure and Mure tract, containing thirty-one and 13/100 (31.13) acres, hereinafter more fully described, he being a part of that tract of land situate and lying in Chattooga Township, Oconee County, and State of South Carolina, on the west side of Chattooga River, heretofore said to contain one hundred and fifty-five (155) acres; the tract aforesaid, first referred to, is circumscribed by a line beginning at corner one, which is corner nine of the Miss L. G. Kuhlman tract, a corner of the lands of S. P. Denny rock with witnesses, an oak post being set in a mound of stones and scribed K. 9; thence with the boundary the S. P. Denny line, S. 36-10 E. to corner two, on bank of branch a small apple, a post being set in a mound of stones; thence to corner three, a corner of the Oconee Timber Company lands, a thirty-inch white oak blazed and scribed; thence N. 54-16 W. to the line of the Oconee Timber Company to corner four, a rock with witness in place, an oak post being set in a mound of stones; thence to corner five, also corner of the Blackwell tract, a rock with witnesses, a post being set in a mound of stones; thence 70-21 W. with the line of the Blackwell lands, to corner six, also corner of the Miss L. G. Kuhl